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In re Application of
Heiner Becker
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This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed December 8, 2003, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply within the meaning of 37 CFR 1.113 in a timely manner to the final Office action mailed February 28, 2003, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months. A three-month extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) has been obtained. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned on August 29, 2003.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to Latrice Bond at (703) 308-6911.

The application file is being forwarded to Technology Center AU 1731 for further processing.

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